



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

BUTZ et al.

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OF THERAPY-RESISTANT TUMORS

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed on September 29, 2006. Applicants have timely filed a response (October 29, 2006 intervening weekend). Accordingly, no extensions of time are needed.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this document.